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March 7, 1968
Thursday 12:00 noon

U.S. District Court
Chambers of
John W. Reynolds, Judge
471 Federal Building
Milwaukee, Wisconsin

G7-CR-183

Dear Judge Reynolds:

Cash of us has to do according to the dictates of our conscience and having fully been made aware of the inevitable consequences of what I'm about to say, I still feel it must be said.

I firmly believe that I am being framed by members of the Federal Bureau of Investigation and, I strongly suspect collusion between this agency and certain members of the Kenosha County Sheriff's Department, and possibly others.

I realize that what I've just said might be out of your jurisdiction but I fervently hope that you help me with the following:

I am enclosing a letter which is self-explanatory.

I find it extremely difficult to believe that it was an accident that an inexperienced attorney was appointed to represent me — while at the same time the Federal Government assigned their most powerful prosecuting attorney to this case.

If it please the court, due to the seriousness of the charges against me, and in view of the penalties involved could I please be assigned an attorney of my choice, namely Mr. James Shallow?

Respectfully Submitted,
Charles L. Cox